

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Itzhak Bentwich

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Examiner: WOLLENBERGER, LOUIS V

Title: SMALL MOLECULES MODULATING  
ACTIVITY OF MICRO RNA  
OLIGONULEOTIDES AND MICRO  
RNA TARGETS AND USES THEREOF

**SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111(a)(2)**

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is the Declaration of Ayelet Chajut, Ph.D. that corroborates the evidence of utility in the reply filed August 1, 2008. No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any fees from Deposit Account No. 50-1662 referencing the above-identified docket number.

Applicant respectfully submits that the instant application is in good and proper order for allowance and early notification to this effect is solicited. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a teleconference would expedite prosecution of the instant application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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